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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the February 21, 2001 Office Action.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a three month extension of the period for reply, i.e., to up to and including August 21, 2001 is respectfully requested. A check for \$890.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fee for this three month extension of time or any other fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.